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Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



April 2000

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<u>ALABAMA, North Central</u>									
Dallas County									
Orrville	02	1629CST 1638CST			0	0	15K	0	Hail (1.50)
Dime to ping pong ball size hail was reported in and around the city of Orrville.									
Dallas County									
Sardis to Polk	02	1640CST 1655CST			0	0	25K	0	Hail (4.50)
Golfball to softball size hail fell from near Sardis to near Polk. The large hail knocked out several car windows and also several windows in homes. One home had severe siding damage from the hail.									
Dallas County									
1 NW Pinebelt to 5.1 E Pinebelt	02	1640CST			0	0	15K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G75)
An isolated supercell thunderstorm moved eastward across southern Dallas County producing a macroburst event. Damage extended in a 7 mile long path from northwest of Pinebelt to about 5 miles east of Pinebelt. The area of damage was about 3 miles wide. Damage occurred primarily to trees, though a few homes sustained minor roof damage in the area.									
Lowndes County									
White Hall	02	1700CST			0	0	3K	0	Hail (1.00)
Quarter size hail was observed in White Hall.									
Lowndes County									
5 ENE Lowndesboro	02	1715CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (1.00)
One inch diameter size hail was reported just east-northeast of Lowndesboro just north of US 80.									
Autauga County									
Prattville	02	1736CST 1745CST			0	0	5K	0	Hail (0.88)
Autauga County									
Prattville	02	1740CST			0	1	0	0	Lightning
Dime to nickel size hail fell across extreme southern Autauga County near Prattville. Around the same time, a young girl was struck by lightning just southeast of Prattville, but was not severely injured.									
Montgomery County									
Montgomery	02	1741CST 1755CST			0	0	15K	0	Hail (2.00)
One to two inch diameter hail was reported in and around the city of Montgomery.									
Elmore County									
Ware	02	1810CST			0	0	2K	0	Hail (1.00)
Quarter size hail fell near Ware.									
St. Clair County									
Ashville	02	1915CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
Penny size hail was reported in Ashville.									
Shelby County									
Helena	02	1927CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
Penny size hail was reported in Helena.									
Shelby County									
Chelsea	02	1949CST			0	0	4K	0	Hail (1.75)
Golfball size hail was reported in the Highland Lakes subdivision off US 280 near Chelsea. The hail was observed as rather soft but large.									
Tuscaloosa County									
Elrod	02	2035CST			0	0	2K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
A few trees were blown down in a couple of locations in western Tuscaloosa County.									



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Jefferson County

Forest Dale	02	2051CST 2059CST	4.5	400	0	0	150K	0	Tornado (F1)
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The tornado first caused damage just east of Minor Parkway and moved northeast along Crumley Chapel Road and through the Crumley Chapel community. The tornado crossed US 78 at the Wal-Mart shopping center and turned on a more easterly track through a residential area of Forestdale. The damage became less severe as the tornado crossed Cherry Lane with only minor tree damage from there to Coalburg Road.

Damage along the track was primarily to trees with some minor roof damage to some houses. A number of houses along the path were severely damaged when trees, some quite large, fell on the structures. Beginning: 33 33.650/86 55.378 End: 33 35.341/86 51.737

Jefferson County

Forest Dale	02	2055CST			0	0	2K	0	Hail (1.00)
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Jefferson County

Graysville	02	2055CST			0	0	2K	0	Hail (1.00)
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Jefferson County

Pratt City	02	2059CST			0	0	5K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
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Quarter size hail was reported in Graysville, Forestdale. Trees and power lines were blown down in Pratt City.

St. Clair County

Moody	02	2100CST			0	0	1K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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Trees and a few large branches were blown down along Interstate 20 near mile marker 147.

Chilton County

3 W Thorsby	02	2252CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
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Dime size hail was observed just west of Thorsby on CR 5.

Calhoun County

4.5 NW Jacksonville	02	2312CST			0	0	25K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G65)
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Thunderstorm wind downed a number of trees in the Covey Rise area of the Angel Grove community north of SR 204 northwest of Jacksonville. The downed trees damaged several houses and took out a number of power lines. Two greenhouses were heavily damaged by the wind.

Calhoun County

2.9 ESE Piedmont to 4.6 E Piedmont	02	2334CST 2337CST	1.7	100	1	6	300K	0	Tornado (F2)
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Cleburne County

3.6 WSW Borden Spgs to 3.4 WSW Borden Spgs	02	2337CST 2338CST	0.2	100	0	0	0	0	Tornado (F2)
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The tornado began at 12:34 am just south of Vigo at the end of Helen Drive. Vigo is located east of Piedmont, AL. The tornado traveled on a northeast track crossing Bethel Church Road and continuing along Vigo Road (County Road 70). The tornado straddled the road moving up a hill and crossing a few hundred feet into Cleburne County. Damage in Cleburne County was confined to downed trees.

The tornado path was 1.9 miles long and approximately 100 yards wide.

Most of the property that was damaged or destroyed was located in the area of Helen Drive and Bethel Church Road. Six mobile homes were destroyed along with two houses, one of which was under construction. One elderly woman was killed and six people were injured in that area. The woman was one of three people in a mobile home whose frame was thrown approximately 130 feet by the force of the tornado. Beginning: 33 54.855/85 33.720 End: 33 55.293/85 31.752



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Tuscaloosa County

Countywide

03 0600CST
1100CST 0 0 25K 0 Flash Flood

Several roads were flooded throughout the county and many were impassible for a few hours. Flooding did occur beyond this time frame, but was related to river flooding in the area.

Winston County

Countywide

03 0800CST
1700CST 0 0 50K 0 Flash Flood

Numerous roads were flooded across the area. Several of these roads had sections washed out. A few vehicles were pushed off the roads by the high water but no injuries were reported. One to three inches of rain fell in a short period of time on already saturated ground. Three day totals were five to seven inches of rain.

Fayette County

Countywide

03 0900CST
1200CST 0 0 30K 0 Flash Flood

Numerous roads throughout the county were flooded and were temporarily impassible. A few trees fell over across the county due to the saturated ground conditions. Doppler radar estimated that two to four inches fell in a short period of time on already saturated ground.

Limestone County

Countywide

03 0945CST
1200CST 0 0 40K 0 Flash Flood

Numerous roads were flooded throughout southern Limestone County and many were closed several hours. One bridge was washed out on Gardner Hollow Road. Radar estimated two to three inches of rain in a short period of time on already saturated ground.

Pickens County

Pickensville

03 1000CST 0 0 2K 0 Thunderstorm Wind (G55)

Trees were knocked down in Pickensville.

Cullman County

Countywide

03 1000CST
1300CST 0 0 80K 0 Flash Flood

Numerous roads throughout Cullman County were flooded. Radar and newspaper estimates that three to four inches of rain fell in a short period of time, on already saturated ground. One section of CR 310 near Guthery's Crossroads was washed away. Several motorists were stranded in vehicles due to the high water.

Limestone County

Countywide

03 1000CST
1300CST 0 0 150K 0 Flash Flood

Numerous roads were flooded throughout Limestone County. One bridge was washed out near the Lester Community and a few others were closed. A few roads were also washed completely out. Several area businesses were flooded. Radar and newspaper estimates indicated that the area received two to five inches of rainfall on already saturated ground. Many area rivers and creeks were high which added to the runoff problems.

St. Clair County

Countywide

03 1000CST
1500CST 0 0 80K 0 Flash Flood

Numerous roads were flooded across the county when one to three inches of rain fell on already saturated ground. Rainfall totals for the storm event from the 1st to the 4th totaled six inches or more. Several roads were washed away.

Pickens County

Aliceville

03 1014CST 0 0 5K 0 Thunderstorm Wind (G60)

Several trees and power lines were blown down in Aliceville.

Pickens County

Stansel

03 1018CST 0 0 2K 0 Thunderstorm Wind (G55)

Trees were blown down between Reform and Carrollton, in the city of Stansel.



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Fayette County

**7.8 NNE Bankston to
10.3 NNE Bankston** 03 1039CST 3 50 0 1 85K 0 Tornado (F1)

The tornado began 3 miles southwest of Studdards Crossroads. Studdards Crossroads is located at the intersection of SR 102 and CR 63. The tornado traveled in a northeast direction for about 3 miles. The damage path was fairly narrow and was estimated to be only 50 yards at its widest point. The damage was primarily downed trees and some snapped trees. There were two residences in the path of the tornado, one of which was a mobile home. The frame house suffered significant damage. The roof was completely blown off, and the back wall was ripped away as the roof was displaced to the back side of the house. The mobile home was located only 20 yards from the frame house, but only suffered minor damage. One elderly person, who was in the frame house, sustained minor injuries. Beginning: 33 46.596/87 37.308 Ending: 33 47.763/87 34.461

Tuscaloosa County

Brownville 03 1048CST 0 0 0 0 Hail (1.00)

Quarter size hail fell in Brownville.

Lawrence County

Moulton 03 1100CST
1200CST 0 0 15K 0 Flash Flood

Lawrence County EMA reported extensive flooding in the city of Moulton.

Tuscaloosa County

Echola 03 1100CST
1115CST 0 0 10K 0 Thunderstorm Wind (G65)

Numerous trees and power lines were blown down across the entire western half of Tuscaloosa County

Morgan County

Danville 03 1100CST
1115CST 0 0 5K 0 Thunderstorm Wind (G65)

Several trees were knocked down throughout the western part of Morgan County.

Walker County

Countywide 03 1100CST
1230CST 0 0 40K 0 Flash Flood

Several roads were washed away by high water in Walker County. The main areas affected were the south and southeast parts of the county.

Tuscaloosa County

**1.2 SW Kellerman to
5.2 NE Kellerman** 03 1120CST
1130CST 6.4 300 0 0 15K 0 Tornado (F2)

Jefferson County

**6.7 SW Oak Grove to
2.2 SSW Oak Grove** 03 1130CST
1137CST 4.7 300 0 0 75K 0 Tornado (F2)

The tornado began at the intersection of CR 59 and CR 54 near the town of Kellerman. The tornado traveled in a northeast direction for approximately 11.1 miles. The tornado crossed the Tuscaloosa and Jefferson county line about 2 miles southeast of County Road 59, near Bull City, and dissipated about 2 miles southwest of Oak Grove. The damage path was about 300 yards wide at its widest point. One frame house and a church received mainly roof damage in the town of Kellerman. The path was very rural, and most of the damage was from downed and snapped trees. The terrain was hilly, with most of the downed trees located in the valleys. About one mile inside the Jefferson County line, a brick house sustained major damage, and two mobile homes were overturned. Segment 1: Beginning: 33 19.860/87 19.276 Ending: 33 23.086/87 13.918 Segment 2: Beginning: 33 23.086/87 13.918 Ending: 33 25.513/87 09.892

Morgan County

Priceville 03 1125CST 0 0 20K 0 Thunderstorm Wind (G65)

One home had the roof torn off in Priceville. A few others received minor roof damage. No injuries were reported. Several trees



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were also reported down across the county.

Jefferson County

3.2 NE Oak Grove to 6.2 NE Oak Grove	03	1144CST 1146CST	3	40	0	0	20K	0	Tornado (F0)
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A weak tornado briefly touched down between Oak Grove and Sylvan Springs and mainly affected a rural area. Several trees were snapped off or blown down along the three mile path. A few homes received minor roof damage. The most concentrated damage was on Handley Road just off CR 46. Beginning: 33 29.227/87 06.767 Ending: 33 30.739/87 05.296

Jefferson County

Bessemer	03	1155CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
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Jefferson County

Midfield	03	1205CST			0	0	2K	0	Hail (1.00)
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Dime size hail was reported near Bessemer. One inch diameter size hail was observed near Midfield.

Marshall County

Countywide	03	1200CST 2000CST			0	0	10K	0	Flash Flood
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Numerous roads throughout the county were flooded. One to three inches of rain fell in a short period of time on already saturated ground. Three day rainfall totals were five inches or more.

Jefferson County

4 N Vestavia Hills to 3.3 ESE Mountain Brook	03	1209CST 1218CST	5.7	350	0	0	4M	0	Tornado (F1)
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The tornado path began on Shades Crest just west of US 31. The tornado paralleled Shades Crest before moving down a hill and across the Birmingham Water Works and US 280. The tornado continued to travel northeasterly just north of Overton Road through a heavily wooded residential area and continued along Overton Road to I-459. The tornado ended just east of I-459 in the Cahaba River area in the vicinity of Liberty Park

Damage was primarily to trees with generally minor roof damage to structures. Several structures sustained major damage at the Birmingham Water Works on US 280. Some structures sustained heavy damage when trees fell on them. Beginning: 33 27.310/86 47.330 End: 33 29.243/86 41.825

Jefferson County

Hoover	03	1210CST			0	0	5K	0	Lightning
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Lightning struck a home in Hoover on Woodmeadow Place. The lightning affected an electrical panel starting a fire inside a wall. In addition to the fire, heavy smoke damage occurred.

Lauderdale County

Countywide	03	1230CST 1530CST			0	0	10K	0	Flash Flood
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Several roads throughout Lauderdale County were temporarily flooded. Many creeks were flowing over the banks but no homes were reported flooded. Radar estimated rainfall of up to five inches over the weekend.

Blount County

Countywide	03	1230CST 1500CST			0	0	25K	0	Flash Flood
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Numerous roads were flooded across Blount County and were temporarily impassible. A mud slide hit Swann Bridge Road, near Cleveland, during the heavy rain and debris blocked the road. Doppler radar indicated one to three inches of rainfall in a short period of time. This rain fell on already saturated ground.

Shelby County

Pelham	03	1245CST			0	0	3K	0	Hail (1.75)
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Golfball size hail was reported in Pelham on CR 11.



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Chilton County

1.7 S Jemison to 1.6 SE Jemison	03	1253CST 1254CST	1	40	0	0	50K	0	Tornado (F0)
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A weak tornado touched down just south of the city of Jemison. The tornado knocked down some power lines along US 31 that went over the top of a train. A few automobiles were flipped over and severely damaged. Numerous trees and power lines were blown down along the path. Several homes sustained varying degrees of roof damage. One home had the front porch removed. Beginning: 32 56.282/86 44.206 Ending: 32 56.840/86 43.392

Jackson County Countywide

03	1300CST 1800CST				0	0	15K	0	Flash Flood
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Numerous roads and highways were flooded across the county and many were temporarily impassible. Radar estimated that two to four inches of rain fell in a short period of time.

Calhoun County Ohatchee

03	1314CST				0	0	5K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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Trees and power lines were knocked down near Ohatchee.

Coosa County 2.7 SE Marble Vly to 3.2 SSE Marble Vly

03	1323CST	1	30	0	0	5K	0	Tornado (F0)
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A tornado touched down southeast of Marble Valley in an unpopulated area downing trees. The tornado began on the west side of CR 56 and crossed the road leaving it blocked by downed trees. Tornado length is a wild guess since access to the beginning and ending points was impossible and no aerial survey was available. Beginning: 33 01.246/86 24.812 Ending: 33 01.687/86 24.034

Etowah County Rainbow City

03	1325CST				0	0	50K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
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Several trees were blown down in Rainbow City. Two adjoining businesses, John's Mens Wear and Learning Systems had the roof completely removed in one piece. Several other locations in the county also reported trees blown down

Blount County Blountsville

03	1328CST				0	0	2K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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Blount County Oneonta

03	1330CST				0	0	3K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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Trees were reported blown down in Blountsville. Trees were knocked down in Oneonta

Dallas County Selma

03	1329CST				0	0	10K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
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Numerous trees and power lines were blown down south and southeast of the city of Selma. One business had significant roof damage.

Madison County Countywide

03	1330CST 1530CST				0	0	5K	0	Flash Flood
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Numerous roads were flooded mainly across southern Madison County and were temporarily impassible. Many residents reported yards full of water but apparently no homes were flooded. Radar indicated that two to four inches of rain fell in a short period of time. A three day total of around five inches was not uncommon.

Autauga County Autaugaville

03	1349CST				0	0	2K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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A few trees were blown down just west of Autaugaville.

Dekalb County Collinsville

03	1349CST				0	0	25K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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A few trees and power lines were knocked down in a Collinsville mobile home park. One tree fell onto two parked cars totally



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destroying the vehicles.

Cullman County Countywide

03 1700CST **0 0 50K 0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G55)**
1735CST

Several trees were reported down throughout the county. One tree fell onto the WFMH radio station building putting a few large holes through the roof. Others fell onto homes.

Jefferson County Mc Calla

03 2045CST **0 0 3K 0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G55)**

Trees and power lines were blown down in McCalla. A funnel cloud was also reported near the intersection of Interstates 459 and 59.

ALZ002

Colbert

08 0830CST **1 0 5K 0** **High Wind (G34)**

Northwest wind gusting to 30 miles an hour caused dangerous waves on Pickwick Lake in extreme western Colbert County. One fishing boat sank with three occupants aboard. A 43 year old man drowned when he could not swim to shore. A Wind Advisory was in effect for northern Alabama.

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ALZ006

Madison

09 0400CST **0 0 0 0** **Extreme Cold**

The early morning temperature recorded at the Huntsville International Airport was 32 degrees. That reading tied the record low temperature.

ALZ024

Jefferson

09 0400CST **0 0 0 0** **Extreme Cold**

A new record low temperature of 30 degrees was observed at the Birmingham International Airport.

ALZ044

Montgomery

09 0400CST **0 0 0 0** **Extreme Cold**

A new record low temperature of 31 degrees was measured at Dannelly Field

Morgan County Massey

20 1922CST **0 0 3K 0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G55)**

Several power lines were blown down in southwest Morgan County near Massey.

Madison County Hazel Green

20 1950CST **0 0 2K 0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G55)**

Two power poles were blown down on Joe Quick Road in Hazel Green.

Cullman County Trimble

20 2000CST **0 0 5K 0** **Hail (1.00)**

Dime to quarter size hail was reported in Trimble.

Cullman County Hanceville

20 2010CST **0 0 5K 0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G60)**

A few power lines were knocked down and numerous power outages were reported in the Hanceville area. One building had the metal garage doors blown off.

Tuscaloosa County 1 N New Lexington

20 2033CST **0 0 3K 0** **Thunderstorm Wind (G55)**

Several trees were blown in northern Tuscaloosa County on Dellert Farm Road off US 43.

Limestone County Elkmont

27 1536CST **0 0 0 0** **Hail (0.75)**
1540CST

Three quarter inch diameter size hail fell in Elkmont and continued falling eastward along CR 120 for about 4 minutes



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Madison County Toney	27	1557CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
									Dime size hail was observed just north of Toney.
Madison County Hazel Green	27	1602CST			0	0	5K	0	Hail (1.75)
									Golfball size hail was reported on Walker Lane near Hazel Green.
Jackson County Skyline	27	1630CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
									Penny size hail was observed just north of Skyline.
Franklin County Red Bay	27	1706CST			0	0	2K	0	Hail (1.00)
									One inch diameter size hail was observed in Red Bay.
Franklin County 5 S Russellville	27	1724CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
									Dime size hail was reported south of Russellville.
Lawrence County Moulton	27	1725CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
									Dime size hail fell just north of Moulton.
Franklin County Spruce Pine	27	1727CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.88)
									Nickel size hail was reported in Spruce Pine.
Lauderdale County Petersville	27	1734CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.88)
									Nickel size hail was observed in Petersville and in Underwood.
Lauderdale County 5 E Florence	27	1738CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
									Dime size hail fell east of Florence.
Colbert County Cherokee	27	1740CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.88)
Colbert County Cherokee	27	1740CST			0	0	2K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
									Several trees were blown down in Cherokee. Nickel size hail also fell across the area.
Lauderdale County Killen	27	1740CST			0	0	3K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
									Trees were knocked down in Killen, Zip City, and in Green Hill.
Lauderdale County 4 NW Lexington	27	1758CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
									Penny size hail fell just northwest of Lexington.
Lawrence County 7 SW Moulton	27	1810CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.88)
									Nickel size hail was reported southwest of Moulton.
Cullman County West Pt	27	1815CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
									Nickel size hail was reported near West Point. Dime size hail occurred on Interstate 65 near Lacon Mountain
Morgan County 3 S Falkville	27	1825CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.88)
									Nickel size hail was reported just north of the Cullman-Morgan County border along Interstate 65.



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Dekalb County

Fyffe	27	1850CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
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Dime size hail was observed in Fyffe.

Marion County

Hamilton	27	1855CST			0	0	5K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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Marion County

Brilliant	27	1903CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
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Several trees were blown down in Hamilton. Numerous trees were also knocked down in several locations throughout the county. Dime size hail was observed in Brilliant.

Marshall County

Guntersville	27	1910CST			0	0	2K	0	Hail (1.00)
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Quarter size hail was reported just southeast of Guntersville.

Winston County

Double Spgs	27	1916CST			0	0	3K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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Winston County

Addison	27	1920CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
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Dime size hail was reported in Addison. A few trees were blown down near Double Springs.

Walker County

Carbon Hill	27	1930CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
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Dime size hail was reported in Carbon Hill.

Walker County

Cordova	27	1940CST			0	0	2K	0	Hail (1.00)
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Walker County

Cordova	27	1940CST			0	0	2K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G55)
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A few trees were blown down around the city of Cordova. Dime to quarter size hail also fell across the area.

Blount County

8 SE Oneonta	27	2010CST			0	0	8K	0	Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
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A roof was blown off a mobile home on Jones Chapel Loop in southeastern Blount County

Jefferson County

Birmingham Arpt	27	2011CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.75)
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The weather observation at the Birmingham International Airport reported three quarter inch diameter hail.

Jefferson County

Birmingham	27	2015CST			0	0	2K	0	Hail (1.00)
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Dime to nickel size hail was observed on Ruffner Mountain. Quarter size hail was reported near Eastwood Mall.

St. Clair County

4 SW Moody	27	2020CST			0	0	0	0	Hail (0.88)
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Nickel size hail fell along Interstate 20 just inside St. Clair County

ALABAMA, Southeast

Coffee County

6 NE Kinston	03	2010EST			0	0			Funnel Cloud
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Public reported a funnel cloud at Ino.

Geneva County

Samson	03	2023EST			0	0	75K		Thunderstorm Wind
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Several downed trees and power lines. A house and nearby vehicle were damaged by a fallen tree. Reported by the Geneva County



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Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Number of Persons Killed Injured		Estimated Damage Property Crops	Character of Storm
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ALABAMA, Southeast

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Coffee County
1 W Enterprise

03 2030EST 0 0 0 0 Tornado (F0)

Public reported a brief tornado touchdown near the Conagra plant with no damage.

Coffee County
Enterprise

03 2030EST 0 0 1K Thunderstorm Wind
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The Coffee County EMA reported some trees down on Timberlake Drive.

Geneva County
Ganer

03 2030EST 0 0 20K Thunderstorm Wind

Several downed trees and a damaged barn reported by the Geneva County EMA.

Dale County
Skipperville

03 2045EST 0 0 50K Thunderstorm Wind

Several downed trees and damaged utility buildings reported by the Dale County EMA.

Henry County
Newville

03 2100EST 0 0 10K Thunderstorm Wind

The Henry County EMA reported vinyl siding torn off a house

ALABAMA, Southwest

Choctaw County
Butler

02 1515CST 0 0 Hail (0.75)
1520CST

An Alabama State Trooper reported dime size hail East of the community.

Wilcox County
Alberta

02 1545CST 0 0 Hail (0.88)
1550CST

Nickel size hail was reported in the community.

Marengo County
Dixons Mills

02 1552CST 0 0 20K Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
1600CST

A National Weather Service Storm Survey determined that strong straight line thunderstorm wind damage occurred along Southern Pine Road near US Highway 43 just north of Dixons Mills. Trees were blown down and several trailers were damaged.

Marengo County
Dixons Mills

02 1552CST 0 0 Hail (1.75)
1600CST

Golfball size hail was reported in the area with the high winds

Choctaw County
**Needham to
Mt Sterling**

03 1125CST 11 200 0 0 50K Tornado (F1)
1135CST

It was determined from a National Weather Service Storm Survey that a strong F1 tornado first touched down near State Highway 17 and County Road 18 just East of Needham. The tornado tracked Northeast across large wooded areas where tree damage occurred. The tornado then crossed County Road 23 just North of Morgan Chapel where several homes sustained roof damage. The tornado continued tracking Northeast across mainly wooded areas...crossing County Road 43 just North of Mt. Sterling. Damage along this portion of the track was mainly to trees. The tornado then moved across Browns Landing Road to County Road 27 East of Mt. Sterling where the tornado lifted back into the clouds. The most substantial structural damage occurred along the track between Browns Landing Road and County Road 27.

Washington County
Deer Park

03 1146CST 0 0 8K Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
1148CST

Several trees were blown down along US Highway 45 near Deer Park.



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<u>ALABAMA, Southwest</u>								
Marengo County								
Demopolis	03	1155CST 1157CST			0	0		Hail (0.75)
Dime size hail was reported just north of Demopolis.								
Clarke County								
Dickinson to Fulton	03	1245CST 1248CST			0	0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Trees and power lines were blown down between Dickinson and Fulton.								
Washington County								
Fairford	03	1250CST 1255CST			0	0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
Strong thunderstorm winds blew several trees down in the Fairford area.								
Clarke County								
Choctaw Bluff	03	1325CST 1327CST			0	0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind (G60)
Strong thunderstorm winds blew several trees down in the community.								
Covington County								
Floralala	03	1840CST 1842CST			0	0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Trees were blown down near Floralala.								
Washington County								
Deer Park	13	1630CST 1631CST			0	0		Hail (0.75)
Dime size hail was reported near Deer Park.								
Baldwin County								
Bay Minette to Perdido	13	1740CST 1745CST			0	0		Funnel Cloud
A couple of funnel clouds were reported near Bay Minette and another near Perdido. Neither funnel cloud touched down and both went back into the clouds. No damage was found.								
Mobile County								
Mobile	24	0300CST 0330CST	1	150	0	0	200K	Tornado (F1)
It was found from a National Weather Service Storm Survey that a F1 tornado struck near downtown Mobile. The tornado's path length was approximately 1 mile long and touched down near I-165, passing through the State Docks area. Some roof damage to apartments occurred near I-165. The storm then moved through the State Docks area, where four buildings suffered major damage. Some ship containers were also turned over. No injuries were reported, but several birds were killed.								
Mobile County								
2 W (Mob)Mobile Bates	24	0330CST 0331CST			0	0		Hail (1.00)
Quarter size hail was reported west of the Mobile National Weather Service Office.								
Mobile County								
Semmes	26	1340CST 1345CST			0	0		Hail (1.00)
Mobile County								
Semmes	26	1340CST 1345CST			0	0	3K	Thunderstorm Wind (G50)
Quarter size hail was reported near Lott and McCrary Roads near Semmes. Several trees were also blown down.								
Mobile County								
Mobile	26	1350CST 1351CST			0	0	5K	Hail (1.00)
Quarter size hail was reported just north of downtown Mobile. Several cars had their windshields damaged by the hail.								



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		Local/ Standard	Length (Miles)	Width (Yards)	Killed	Injured	Property	Crops	

ALABAMA, Southwest